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Legislative Update

Be sure to tune into Insight Channel 25 today at 4:00 pm to watch the Mayor's Budget Address to the Metro Council. You can watch the meeting live on channel 25 or view it online at http://louisvilleky.gov/metrotv.

9th District BATS Night Out - July 28, 2010

It's that time of year again for the 9th District BATS Night at Slugger Field. Mark your calendars for Wednesday, July 28th. Tickets are available to 9th District residents on a first-come, first-serve basis until they run out. The tickets are good for one FREE admission, a FREE hot dog and FREE soft drink on July 28th. To reserve tickets online please visit, http://www.jotform.com/form/82743956949 or you can contact my office directly at 574-1109. Hope to see you there!

Community Music Partnership \$\$ Available

Are you planning a block party, festival, dance or other event and you want live music? If so, the 9th District has Community Music Partnership funds available to help you pay for live entertainment! We offer non-profit groups a \$200 credit for a band to play at your event through the Federation of Musicians. The Community Music Partnership is a joint effort of the Louisville Metro Council and the Louisville Federation of Musicians to provide music to neighborhood organizations, block watch clubs, block parties and senior citizen clubs. Requests for music can be made in writing to my office, 601 W Jefferson Street, 40202. To apply, a letter from your organization must be included stating the nature of the event and its free and open to the public. Also, the organization requesting must be a not-for-profit. Music cannot be used for political activities, church religious activities, nor for the benefit of daycares, public, private or parochial schools. The deadline for this fiscal year is June 30, 2010. For more information call 574-1109.

Crescent Hill Garden Tour - June 5th

Twelve private gardens in Louisville's Crescent Hill will be on display Saturday June 5 from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm as part of the 16th annual Crescent Hill Garden Tour. This year's sites range from the formal to the artsy, from gardens designed to fit on a sunny, rocky hillside to a quiet space brimming with shade plants. Watch as a hive of honeybees goes about its business pollinating flowers, and learn how rain barrels can help the environment and your garden. You'll visit an artist's wintertime greenhouse studio structured to awaken the senses, and meet a couple passionate about the environment whose innovations in gardening will have you planning new "green" techniques to practice in your own garden. The event will be held rain or shine. Admission is \$10. Tickets may be purchased on the day of the Tour at 205 South Peterson Ave.

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Crescent Hill Trading Company

The Crescent Hill Trading Company, under the new ownership of Kathy Schmitt, will host a gathering for their first Frankfort Avenue Trolley Hop – F.A.T. Friday – on Friday, May 28th from 6 to 10 pm. Family and friends are invited to enjoy music, jambalaya, lemonade, discounts and FUN! The Crescent Hill Trading Company is located at 2720 Frankfort Avenue and S. Bayly Avenue (behind Carmichael's bookstore). Phone number is 502-896-6110. Summer store hours are: Tuesday – Friday 11 am to 7 pm, Saturday 10 am to 6 pm, Sunday 1 pm to 4 pm and closed Monday. Kathy and her husband Finbar Kinsella and son Ronan are very invested in the neighborhood. The Crescent Hill Trading Company will continue to supply the residents with vintage collectibles, quality well-made furniture, jewelry, linens, lamps, mirrors, frames, chairs, china, crystal and other unique finds. Come see what makes this store as distinctive and memorable as the neighborhood that bears its name.

Ninth District Events!



Below are some Ninth District calendar events! To view a full listing of events please visit the **Ninth District Blog** at http://district9news.wordpress.com/.

If you would like to submit events to be considered for the blog calendar please email kyle.ethridge@louisvilleky.gov or call 574-1109.

Thursday, May 27: KIPDA Regional Transportation Council Meeting at 1:00 pm at KIPDA Conference Room, 11520 Commonwealth Drive *and* Transportation Policy Committee Meeting at 1:00 pm at KIPDA Burke Room *and* KIPDA Board of Directors' Meeting at 2:00 pm in the KIPDA Burke Room. For more information call (502) 266-6084 or visit www.kipda.org.

Thursday, May 27: Ignite the Night from 5:00 – 7:00 pm at Glassworks, 815 W Market Street. Young professionals are invited to the region's largest wine social for up-and-coming leaders. Sample Brown-Forman wines while connecting with hundreds of young professionals, including many Ignite Louisville graduates. This event is FREE but an RSVP is requested at http://ignitethenight.eventbrite.com/.

Friday, May 28: Historic Frankfort Avenue will host a F.A.T. Friday Trolley Hop from 6:00pm to 10:00pm. The F.A.T. Friday Trolley Hop, on the final Friday of each month, provides FREE parking and transportation to participating shops, restaurants and galleries along the Frankfort, Mellwood and Story Avenue corridor. Transportation is provided by TARC. For more information about specific F.A.T. Friday events, the trolley schedule, and the participating businesses, please visit www.fatfridayhop.org. Special activities happening during the F.A.T. Friday Trolley Hop on May 28th are:

- **Peacock Boutique**, located at 2828 Frankfort Avenue, will host a trunk show by jewelry designer Masha Archer. Masha will be showcasing her new designs featured in "Sex in the City 2," which premieres on trolley hop night. Cosmopolitans will be served. A portion of the proceeds will benefit the Make-A-Wish Foundation.
- **Elizabeth's Timeless Attire,** located at 2050 Frankfort Avenue, will celebrate its 23rd year in business on Frankfort Avenue with a once-a-year sale featuring 23% off all vintage clothes, accessories and jewelry from 6:00pm to 9:00pm. Guests will also enjoy wine and music.
- **Third Lutheran Church,** located at 1864 Frankfort Avenue, will host an art and craft showcase featuring watercolors by The Palette Club of Louisville and items for sale from Mary Unclebach.
- **Conez and Coneyz**, located at 2716 Frankfort Avenue, will host live music by The Potluck Ramblers from 6:00 8:00pm and a face painter from 6:00 9:00pm.

- **Eyedia,** located at 1631 Mellwood Avenue, will showcase wedding themed gifts and feature wedding cake, wedding punch, and live music by Paul Petty.
- **Gallery Janjobe**, located in the Mellwood Art Center, will host an opening reception for *Flameworking: Some Like It Hot*, an exhibit by 20 torch-working glass artists from across the country. The exhibit is being held in conjunction with the Glass Art Society 4th Annual Conference, which takes place in Louisville June 10-12, 2010.
- **The Mellwood Arts Center**, located at 1860 Mellwood Avenue, will host the opening reception of a new exhibit by Anessa Arehart in Gallery M, and Lonnie's Fun Food Café will offer drink and food specials in the courtyard from 5:00 7:00pm.
- It's All Greek to Me, located at 2716 Frankfort Avenue, will feature free belly dancing lessons and drawings to win free lunches!

Tuesday, June 1: Chef Maria Bell, owner of It's All Greek to Me is offering cooking classes from 6:30 – 7:15 pm at the Clifton Center. Different recipes will be offered every Tuesday evening. The class topic for June 1st is Lamb gyros, chicken gyros and pork gyros - \$ 35.00 per person. For more information contact 895-0555.

Wednesday, June 2: Metropolitan Housing Coalition Annual Meeting with keynote speaker, John Yarmuth. Congressman Yarmuth will address federal housing policies and other federal issues that affect housing here in Louisville. 5:00 pm Social Hour, 6:00 pm Program and Dinner. Individual tickets are \$50 and a table of eight (8) is \$500. For more information visit, http://www.metropolitanhousing.org/.